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SUBJECT: DEBRIEFING THAI AND LAO RETURNEES FOR PW/MIA INFO
REF: A) VIENTIANE 6679; B) CINCPAC 292136Z AUG 74
C) VIENTIANE 6966 (ALL NOTAL)

1. WASHINGTON AGENCIES WELCOME ARRANGEMENTS FOR DEBRIEFING THAI VOLUNTEERS FOR PW/MIA INFORMATION (REFS A AND B). WE HOPE ANY SUCH INFO, POSITIVE AS WELL AS NEGATIVE, WILL BE CABLED ASAP TO WASHINGTON FOR TRANSMITTAL AS APPROPRIATE TO MIA FAMILIES.

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2. ALSO APPRECIATE INFO ON ARRANGEMENTS FOR DEBRIEFING LAO

POW'S (REF C). APPEARS TO US THAT, SINCE LAO PRISONERS MAY HAVE BEEN HELD AT MORE WIDELY DISPERSED LOCATIONS THAN THE THAI, IT IS POSSIBLE THEY MAY HAVE GREATER KNOWLEDGE OF AMERICAN PW/MIA'S, CRASH SITES, ETC. HOPE INFO FROM THIS SOURCE ALSO WILL REACH WASHINGTON QUICKLY. KISSINGER

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